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FOR E W O R D

We seniors offer this Axis as a record of our high school interests and activities, and we hope that our book may be enjoyable now, and in time to come may recall many pleasant memories. In it, we have stressed the informality of our school life chiefly by means of pictures in order to give you an accurate glimpse of our school year.

We dedicate this book to all of our real friends, the persons who honestly desire our happiness. True friendship is one of the most precious gifts that life can give us, and our friends are the people who most influence us. To you, our friends, who, because of your understanding and confidence have helped to shape our lives, we leave our Axis.



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We have within us the ability to choose the Good, the True, and the Beautiful. Indelibly engraved upon the tablets of time, these qualities have represented the requirements of happiness and success. Striving toward these ideals, Goodness, Truth, Beauty, we plan carefully. From the many possible courses of actions we choose the wisest. We cultivate the ability to think. When a moral issue confronts us, we choose the good. We do not bring disgrace upon ourselves nor upon others. Realizing that the world owes nobody a living unless he earns it, we vow to do every task so well that both we and our employer will be proud. Self pity is not near. Service reigns. Adversity, tragedy, and sadness may come, but we "strive to seek, to find, and not to yield." We are ready to listen and to learn. We are seeking the Beautiful, the Good, and the True. Happy and successful are all those who obtain these golden links in education. May we have helped you to attain these ideals.

—Mr. Erwin,
Principal

REFLECTIONS

In 1935-36 Photographers Atkins, Richey and Taggart were arranging the setting of a picture to include eighty subjects moving, changing and sometimes dropping out entirely. It was decided to tint the picture blue and gold to give it a more vivid description and variety of expression. Three outstanding individuals on the front row were John McConnell, Dick Nichols, and Bill Carroll.

Several who came from the background to the foreground were Jim Haniford, Herman Knesek and John Lamphier, all of whom provided plenty of scrap on the gridiron; while Bob Briggs and Wilbur Hoshaw starred on the hardwood. Not far behind our athletes we see the faces of our musicians, Dick Hill, Clarence Veach, Dick Nichols, and Bob LaCroix, who have a monopoly on the drum section of the band.

Some more confusion in the background proved to be the "freshie" girls learning of the "Big Sister" party given by the Senior girls at school.

During the "take" Mary Davis, Bea Sellers, Bill Carroll, and Charlotte Kaiser, stepped into the foreground. From a candid camera shot, we see the sophomores sponsored a show, "Pigskin Parade", and were successful in making a profit of \$40.00. Along the athletic line, we were proud to claim LaVerne King, and Dick Robinon, the "pigskinners". The Bruce Triplets, Gladys Kinne, Mildred Dickens, and Bea Sellers starred in basketball and made the Girls' Varsity.

During the process of "developing" the picture, Ed Metz, Leone Bruce, Charlotte Kaiser, and Bill Carroll stood out from the rest. Under the able direction of Mrs. Spray, we presented the play "Green Stockings", by which we netted a profit of \$175.00, the most in the history of the high school. We also augmented our treasury by selling Crown Point reflectors for automobiles. At this time we found several scholars, debaters and song-birds. Bill Carroll, Mary Davis, and Helen Mikuta were outstanding figures in debate, while Vera Mae Phillips, Lois Woods, and Helen Bruce were selected to be members of the Triple Trio. Dick Kammert, Clarence Veach, and Clifford McElwee represented the class of '39 in the Boys' Ensemble.

None of us will forget the setting for the eventful Junior-Senior Prom-- the beautiful garden scene, with the setting sun and the solid ceiling of white balloons. Our lovely decorations graced the Senior Baccalaureate and kept things "popping."

Through the cooperation of Photographers Hiatt, Ferris, and Bowen, and the leaders, Dick Nichols, Helen Bruce, Mary Davis, and Leone Bruce, we were able to put the "finishing" touches on our picture. Outstanding figures on the gridiron were Haniford, King, Buche, Hoffman, Holmquist, Ziese, and Herman and Harvey Knesek; while Pettit, Falkiner, and King were the nucleus of the hardwood varsity. Two more figures who came to the front were Ed Metz, who was highest scholastically in the class and therefore valedictorian, and Helen Bruce, who won the D. A. R. Citizenship Award.

The class of '39 claims three of the four cheer leaders: Bea Sellers, Vera Mae Phillips, and Dick Kammert. Bea was also crowned Queen of the High School carnival this year.

During the last few seconds of the "setting" we successfully presented our play "Spring Fever" and worked cooperatively on the Yearbook.

During the entire "setting of the picture" the constant cooperation and good fellowship of our classmates gave us something we will not soon forget and strengthened our belief that "Preparedness is the Keynote to Success!"

Richard Nichols—Snicky
"Genial, jolly, and full fun"
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
President of Senior Class
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Football Manager 4
Basketball Manager 2, 3
Intramurals 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4 (Student
Director 3, 4)
Captain of Band 4
Chorus 4
Student Council 1, 3, 4.
Annual Staff 4
National Honor Society 4

Esther Abramson—Essy
"She is of the modest kind"
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3
Inklings 4



Henry Baum—Hank
"Some love geometry and
Caesar well"
But why they do it is more
than I can tell."
Future Farmers Association
1, 4.



Leone Bruce—Lowie
"A cheerful grin will let
you in."
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
President of G. A. A. 2, 4.
Manager of G. A. A. 3
Girls' Varsity Basketball 2,
3, 4
G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
Vice President of Class 3
Treasurer of Senior Class
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Inklings Staff 4



William Carroll—Willie
"Speech is a mirror of the
soul; as a man speaks, so
he is."
President of Class 1
President of Hi-Y 4
President of Quill and
Scroll 4
Inklings Staff 2, 3, 4 (Editor
4)
Annual Staff 4
"Green Stockings" 3
"Spring Fever" 4

Charles Clark—Chuck
"Were it not for the dis-
tracting influence of wo-
men, I might have been
a great scholar."
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Boys' Ensemble 2
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Assembly Program Com-
mittee 4
"Green Stockings" 3
President of Dance Club 4
"Spring Fever" 4

Nellie Beem—Patsy
"I care for nobody, no not I,
I'll decide for myself, at
least I'll try."
G. A. A. 2
Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3, 4

Jeanette Bruce—Nettie
"Nothing is impossible to a
willing heart."
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
Girls' Varsity Basketball 2,
3, 4
G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 2, 3, 4
Inklings Staff 4 .
Annual Staff 4
Student Council 1, 2.

Wentel Buche—Weenie
"There's a lot of devilry
'neath his mild exterior."
Athletic Club 1
Lettermen's Club 3, 4.
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Varsity Football 2, 3, 4
Varsity Basketball 3, 4.
Second Team Basketball 2
Chorus 2, 3, 4.
Boys' Glee Club 3
Boys' Ensemble 3, 4





Ruth Cooper—Ruthie
"She is not so serious as she
looks."
Chorus 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 3, 4
Girl Reserves 2, 4
D. A. R. Essay Contest 3
Inklings Staff 4
"New Fires" 1
"Green Stockings" 3

Mary Davis—Betty
"If her future is based on
her past, she will make a
success."
Girls' Varsity Basketball 4
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
President of Class 2
Secretary of Senior Class
Sec'y, and Treas. of Student
Council 4
Editor-in-Chief of Annual
Debate 3, 4
Inklings Staff 4
Quill and Scroll 4
G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
National Honor Society 4

Mildred Dickens—Millie
"A good and steady work-
er."
Vice President of G. A. A. 2
G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
Girls' Varsity Basketball 2,
3, 4
Girls' Varsity Volleyball 2,
3, 4
Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Student Council 1, 2
Chorus 1, 2
Girl Reserves 2, 3
Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4
National Honor Society 4
"Spring Fever" 4

Richard Falkiner—Dick
"He who can blush is cer-
tainly not a brute."
Varsity Basketball 4
Second Team Basketball 3
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Intramurals 2
Student Council 2, 4



Paul Farster—Chink
"A man without an enemy
in the world."
Future Farmers Association
1, 2, 3, 4.
Intramurals 3, 4

Mildred Falke—Gabby
"By her own merit she
wins her way."
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
Inklings Staff 4
National Honor Society 4



Ferne Fauser—Blondie
"The busiest are the hap-
piest."
Hammond High School 1
Girl Reserves 2



Jeanne Firman—Jeanie
"Patience is a remedy for
every sorrow."
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
Student Council 2
Girl Reserve 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 2, 3
Triple Trio 4

Wilbur Fiegle—Willie
"Bashfulness is an orna-
ment of youth."
Second Team Basketball 3
Intramurals 4
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Future Farmers Association
1, 2, 3, 4



Dorothy Fronek—Dottie
"Give thy thoughts no ton-
gue."
Chorus 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 4
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
Inklings Staff 4

La Verne Hack—Hacky
"Pursuit of knowledge under difficulties."
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble
Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
Symphony Club 1

James Haniford—Jim
"A good fellow among fellows."
Varsity Football 1, 3, 4
Football Co-captain 4
Varsity Basketball 3, 4
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Athletic Club 1, 2
High School Tennis Champion 3
All-conference Halfback 3, 4
All-State Halfback (Honorable Mention) 4
Student Council 4



Jean Hershey—Jeanie
"Ready, willing, and able."
Merrillville High School 1
Bard 1, 2, 3, 4
Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3, 4
Inklings Staff 4



Richard Hill—Reppie
"He puts his troubles in a pocket with a hole in it."
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Boys' Ensemble 2, 3, 4
Boys' Quartet 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Intramurals 1, 2, 3
Assembly Program Committee 3, 4
Inklings Staff 2
"Green Stockings" 3
"Spring Fever" 4



Edward Hoffman—Eddie
"The mildest manners, the gentlest heart."
Varsity Football 3, 4
Second Team Basketball 3
Lettermen's Club 4
Student Council 3, 4
Intramurals 2, 4

Wanda Hoffman—Shorty
"Sense she has in a large degree."
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4

Hilding Holmquist—Homely
"This student life is wearing me away."
Varsity Football 2, 3, 4
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Athletic Club 1
Intramurals 3
Hi-Y 3, 4
Dance Club 4



Irene Huseman—Cookie
"Of quiet dignity and gentle grace."
Dyer High School 1, 2
Girl Reserves 3, 4

Charlotte Kaiser—Charley
"Gentle, perhaps shy, but a true friend to those who know her well."
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
G. A. A. Letter Award 4
Chorus 4
Vice-Pres. of Girl Reserves 3
Pres. of Girl Reserves 4
Secretary of Danee Club 4
Treasurer of Class 2
Secretary of Class 3
Student Council 1, 4
Annual Staff 4

Richard Kammert—Sandy
"I do not let studies interfere with my education"
Varsity Basketball 3, 4
Intramurals 1, 2
Hall of Fame
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Secretary of Hi-Y 4
Pres. Student Council 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Boys' Ensemble 3
Yell Leader 4
Annual Staff 4
Inklings Staff 3, 4
"Spring Fever" 4





Kathleen Kaper—Katie
"I chatter, chatter as I go."
G. A. A. 2
Cadet Ensemble 2, 4
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

Gladys Ann Kinne—Glad
"She always plays the
game."
Vice President of G. A. A. 3
Treasurer of G. A. A. 4
Girls' Varsity Basketball 2,
3, 4
Girls' Varsity Volleyball 2,
4
Girls' Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4
G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
Student Council 1
Inklings Staff 4
Annual Staff 4



Lavern King—Doc
"Just as good natured as
can be, with a winning
smile for all to see."
Varsity Football 2, 3, 4
Football Co-captain 4
Varsity Basketball 4
Hi-Y 3, 4
All-conference End 3, 4
All-State End (Honorable
Mention) 4
Pres. of Lettermen's Club
Student Council 4
National Honor Society 4

Harvey Knesek—Harpo
"He always has something
to say."
Varsity Football 3, 4
All-conference Guard 4
Second Team Basketball 1,
2, 3
Basketball Manager 4
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3
Quartermaster of Band 1, 2,
3
Drillmaster of Band 3
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3
Annual Staff 4

Herman Knesek—Hermie
"Oh, for a six months' va-
cation twice a year."
Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Varsity basketball 1, 2, 3
Intramurals 4
Track 3
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Athletic Club 1

Bob Kretschmar—Dutch
"God bless the man who
first invented sleep."
"Green Stockings" 3
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Chorus 3, 4



Joseph LaBuda—Joe
"Man's chief treasure is his
sparing tongue."
Thornton Fractional High
School 1, 2
Future Farmers Association
3, 4



Bernice Lac—Softy
"It is good to live and
learn."
Lake View High School 1,
2
G. A. A. 3, 4
Band 3, 4
Chorus 3, 4



Charles Lewis—Chuck
"A modest man and true."
Future Farmers Associa-
tion 1, 2, 3, 4
Varsity Basketball 4
Second Team Basketball 3
Intramurals 1, 2

Richard Likens—Dick
"Enjoy life e'er has fled, for
when you die, you're a
long time dead."
Lowell High School 1, 2, 3
Hi-Y 4
"Spring Fever" 4

C. McElwee—McGooey
 "What is more dear to me
 than a big 'A'?"
 Vice President of Dance
 Club⁴
 Debate Squad Manager 1
 Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
 Boys' Ensemble 2, 3, 4
 Boys' Quartet 3
 "Green Stockings" 3
 Hi-Y Reporter 2, 3, 4
 Quill and Scroll 3, 4
 Annual Staff 4
 Inkings Staff 2, 3, 4
 Geometery Contestant 3



Annabelle Luke—Ants
 "A maid of quaint and quiet
 ways."
 Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
 Chorus 2, 3, 4
 Cadet Ensemble 2, 3, 4



Wm. McKnight—Mickey
 "He always has something
 to say."
 Hi-Y 2, 3, 4

Edward Metz—Ed
 "His hair is e'er sleek and
 his manners e'er suave".
 Class President 3
 Hall of Fame
 Student Council 2
 Valedictorian
 National Honor Society 4



Helen Mikuta—Kootie
 "She has the ability to do
 well everything she un-
 dertakes."
 G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
 Annual Staff 4
 Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
 Cadet Ensemble 3, 4
 Quill and Scroll 4
 Debate 3, 4
 Extemporaneous Contest 4
 National Honor Society 4

Hazel Nichols—Nickie
 "Think all you speak, but
 speak not all you think."
 Chorus 4

Emma Niemeyer—Emmy
 "Life is just one prolonged
 giggle."⁴
 Band 1, 2, 3, 4
 Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
 Cadet Ensemble 2, 3
 Symphony Club 1, 2
 G. A. A. 3, 4
 Girl Reserves 4
 Orchestra 1, 2



Betty Osborne—Ozzie
 "Lighthearted and gay."
 Mercy High School 1
 Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
 G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
 Chorus 2, 3, 4
 Cadet Ensemble 3, 4
 Yell Leader 2
 "Green Stockings" 3
 "Spring Fever" 4

Harold Pettit—Wee
 "The women don't bother
 him; he has other trou-
 bles."
 Varsity Basketball 4
 Second Team Basketball 3
 Intramurals 1, 2
 Band 1
 Student Council 3
 Lettermen's Club 3, 4

Frida Pfost—Fritz
 "A maiden never bold, of
 spirit still and quiet."
 Girl Reserves 1, 2, 4
 Chorus 4





Vera Mae Phillips—Phil
"She's dainty, she's tiny,
she's sweet;
She's smart, she's stylish,
she's neat."
G. A. A. Letter Award 3
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
"Green Stockings" 3
Yell Leader 4
Quill and Scroll 4
Inklings Staff 4
Annual Staff 4
"Spring Fever" 4
National Honor Society 4

Dale Robertson—Robbie
"If you have something to
say, say it; if not, say it
anyway."
Horace Mann High School
1, 2
Hi-Y 3, 4
Intramurals 3, 4
"Green Stockings" 3
Dance Club 4
Inklings Staff 4

Irene Rouhselange—Enie
"Her eyes are ever glancing
and her feet are ever
dancing."
Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3, 4
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
"Green Stockings" 3
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 2, 3, 4
"Spring Fever" 4



Elizabeth Schiesser—Liz
"Quiet, studious, and de-
termined."
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4,
Inklings Staff 2

Annabelle Schneider—Ans
"Well-timed silence hath
more eloquence than
speech."
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4

Beatrice Sellers—Bea
"Live wires are seldom
stepped on."
G. A. A. Letter Award 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4 (Student
Director 3, 4)
Chorus 3, 4
Triple Trio 4
Yell Leader 4
Inklings Staff 2, 4
Annual Staff 4
Student Council 4
National Honor Society 4



Jane Smith—Smitty
"I may be small, but I al-
ways have my say."
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3, 4
Secretary of Girl Reserves
1
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 3, 4
Student Council 4
"Green Stockings" 3 (Man-
ager)



Gladys Spitscon—Speedy
"Honor lives in honest toil."
Hirsch High School 1
Valparaiso High School 2, 3
G. A. A. 3



Theodore Steger—Ted
"A good natured lad is he,
agreeable and friendly."
Student Council 1
Symphony Club 1
Debate 1
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
"Green Stockings" 3
"Spring Fever" 4

George Stratton—Bill
"Every man has his own
fault; modesty is his."
Intramurals 3
Student Council 4
Dance Club 4

Eva Mae Uptate—Eve
"Sweet and kind is she."
G. A. A. 2
Girl Reserves 1, 2, 3, 4

G. VandeCraat—Gertie
"Earnest study procures re-
sults."
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4



Wilfred Wagner—Bill
"The world's no better if
we hurry;
Life's no longer if we
worry."
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Intramurals 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Inklings Staff 4



A. L. Whitehead—Killer
Diller.
"Tis true, she's much inclin-
ed to chin and chat with
all mankind."
G. A. A. 3, 4
Chorus 1, 4
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
Student Council 4
"Green Stockings" 3
Inklings Staff 4
Quill and Scroll 4
Librarian 1, 2, 3
"Spring Fever" 4



Gertrude Wehner—Gertie
"You can tell her by the
noise she doesn't make"
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4

Evelyn Wornhoff—Evy
"If e'er she knew an evil
word, she spoke it not."
G. A. A. 3
Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4
Chorus 4

Lois Woods—Woodsey
"Wisely and slow, they
stumble who go fast"
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4
Girl Reserves 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Cadet Ensemble 2
Triple Trio 3, 4
Inklings Staff 4
Quill and Scroll 4
Symphony Club 1
Orchestra 1, 2
Student Council 2



Clayton Ziese—Hefty
"Who can wrestle against
sleep?"
Varsity Football 2, 3, 4
Lettermen's Club 3, 4
Athletic Club 1
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Future Farmers Association
1, 2, 3, 4
Intramurals 3, 4

F O G

We, the members of the Senior class, having completed four hectic and nerve-wracking years of strenuous labor, being in sound frame and structure (I hope) do hereby transfer, hand down, set over, our most needed and precious "stuff" to our under-graduates, who, we believe, will appreciate and enjoy these hand-downs as much as we have.

I, Esther Abramson, will my characteristic of being seen but not heard to Shirley Benson.

I, "Hank" Baum, will my Dodge to anyone who thinks he can handle it.

I, Nellie Beem, will my quietness to Mary Nowviskie.

I, Helen Bruce, will my temperament to Lillian Wietbrock.

I, Leone Bruce, will my athletic enthusiasm to Velda Seramur, who is well under way.

I, Jeanette Bruce, will a package of wear-ever chewing gum to Coach Ferris.

I, "Weenie" Buche, will my athletic ability to "Percy" Blakeman.

I, Bill Carroll, will a broken leg to each member of the faculty.

I, Chuck Clark, will my weakness for "females" to John Beck.

I, Ruth Cooper, will my ability to "yodel" to Bernard Lewis.

I, Mary Davis, will my "liking" for Chevvies to Bibs' "steady", if he ever gets one.

I, Mildred Dickens, will my baseball talent to Iva Jean Ammerman.

We, Dick Falkiner, and Harold Pettit, will our positions on the varsity to Harold Horst and Bud McFadden.

I, Mildred Falke, will my stenographic position to Lois Peterson.

I, Paul Farster, will my "monkey" business to Bud Young.

I, Ferne Fauser, will my secretarial ability to Dorothy Barnhart.

I, Wilbur Fiegle, will my "modest" ways to June Buyer.

I, Jean Firman, will my low alto voice to Mary Ellen Hagen.

I, Dorothy Fronek, will my liking for "barn dances" to some country lassie.

I, LaVerne Hack, will my height to "Vickie" Sato.

I, Jim Haniford, need everything I have.

I, Jean Hershey, will my ability to play the trombone to Burdette Bisselberg.

I, Dick Hill, will my scrumptious vocabulary to anyone who is intelligent enough to use it.

I, Eddie Hoffman, will my happy, carefree ways to Dick Bowen.

I, Wanda Hoffman, will my short stature to Ellen Fischer.

I, Hilding Holmquist, will my lazy disposition to anybody who will accept it.

I, Irene Huseman, will my knack for sewing to those "gayminded sophomore girls".

I, Charlotte Kaiser, will my DISLIKE for school to Eleanor Heidbreder.

I, Dick Kammert, will my ability to do everything and get by with it to Bob Batterman.

I, Kathleen Kaper, will my line of "gab" to Alice Goethal.

I, LaVerne King, will my ability to play left-end position on the gridiron to Donald Daniels.

I, Gladys Kinne, will my love to sports to Irene Phillips.

I, Harvey Knesek, will the responsibilities and numerous duties as team manager, and the keys that go with it to Ralph Henderlong.

I, Herman Knesek, will my ability to "gab" to anyone who can keep up.

I, Bob Kretchmar, will my "pipe" to Dick LaCroix.

I, Joe LaBuda, will my quiet manners to Leon Lump.

I, Bernice Lae, will to Florence Steuer and Lila Vick the ability to keep their friendship and partnership as I have done with Emma Neimeyer.

I, Chuck Lewis, will "Arline" to my brother, Harry. (Take good care of her.)

I, Dick Likens, will my "flirtatious" personality to Gerald Horst.

I, Annabelle Luke, will my 4-H leadership to Jane Heinze.

I, Clifford McElwee, will my sister, Lillie Mae, to some knightly young fellow to look after.

I, Ed Metz, will my dignity and poise to "Killer" Keene.

I, Helen Mikuta, will my debating talent to John Winberry.

I, Hazel Nichols, will my enthusiasm for library books to any book worm.

I, Dick Nichols, will my Lowell attraction to Bob Westphal, who can't break the ice.

I, Emma Neimeyer, will my talkative manner and well-known giggle to Mary Ellen Strong; I hope she uses it.

I, Betty Osborne, will my popularity in dramatics class to Rosemary Biegel.

I, Freida Pfost, will my "high heel shoes" to Dorothy Tyler.

I, Vera Mae Phillips, will my pep for leading yells to Bud Young. (Come on Bud, use a little.)

I, Dale Robertson, will my ability to get along with the teachers to "Kenny" Holmquist.

I, Irene Rouhselange, will my collegiate interests to June Buyer, who is fast learning the ropes.

I, Elizabeth Schiesser, will my bashfulness to Margaret Stillson.

I, Anna Belle Schnieder, will my blond hair to Janet Place.

I, Bea Sellers, will my school-girl figure to my friend, Mary Kolling, and hope that she can make the grade.

I, Jane Smith, will my "bow-legs" to anyone bothered with "knock-knees."

I, Gladys Spitslon, will my Valpo "steady" to—no one.

I, Ted Steger, will my "popularity" with the "fems" to Elwood Kelsey.

I, George Stratton, will my industry to Cecil Riley.

I, Eva Mae Utpatel, will my prim and lady-like manners to my friend, Francis Patton. (Use'm PATTON)

I, Gertrude Vande Craats, will my studious ability to Helen Fulk.

I, Bill Wagner, will my every night date at "Hoggies" to Wilbur Huseman.

I, Gertrude Wehner, will my weak voice to Mr. Reed.

I, Alice Whitehead, will my ability to catch a college love to anyone desiring to do the same.

I, Lois Woods, will my stubborn disposition to anybody who can "take" it.

I, Evelyn Wornhoff, will my "tubbiness" to Betty Haynes.

I, Clayton Ziese, will my GOOD times to Bob Veach.

In testimony therep, we hereunto set the signature of the Senior class of nineteen hundred and thirty nine, on this FIFTH day of MAY 1939.

—SENIOR CLASS

TRIPOD



HELEN

LEONE

JEANETTE

The senior class of Crown Point High School proudly presents the Bruce triplets—Helen, Leone, and Jeanette, alike as "three peas in a pod," and yet decidedly different to us who know them so well!

All three girls especially like steaks, frozen salads, and hot fudge sundaes, while Leone alone does not care for vegetables. They are very sports minded, even in their taste for clothing. The favorite sports of the girls are swimming, basketball, baseball, and tennis; while they hope to be active in many college sports, also. Helen plans to become a dietetics teacher; Leone wants to be an athletic director; and Jeanette will study commercial work.

Helen seems to be the older in disposition, and somewhat more mature in mannerisms. When the triplets were away from their parents as children, she was the spokesman, and is perhaps more positive in her likes and dislikes.

Leone became an athletic enthusiast in high school. She is light-hearted, laughs easily, and seems able to get some pleasure out of nearly everything that takes place.

Jeanette pursues a good time with a perseverance that never gives out. She is always ready for another trip, another party, or another game, whether close at hand or far away.

After they started to school, it was the experience of most of the teachers not to know the children apart for the first few months, and then before the year was out, the teachers would be telling Mr. and Mrs. Bruce that the children did not look alike, but that they had pronounced differences in their interests.

It was noticeable that Helen took an interest in drawing and painting, and that Leone had a marked interest in athletics. Jeanette devoted a great deal of time to music, and Helen practically none.

School has seemed to take on an added interest for all the girls as they have grown older; and in high school the girls have responded to the activities program provided by the present-day school methods, until their Dad has complained lest the activities overshadow the school work itself.



VISIBILITY UNLIMITED

Glancing into the crystal ball of the famous clairvoyant, Alley Ben Bowling, we visioned the future of the following seniors ten years hence.

ESTHER ABRAMSON—Living on the new Krieter farm.

HENRY BAUM—Dignified and respected as the Sheriff of Lake County.

NELLIE BEEM—Driving No. 44, the crack street car of the Gary Transportation Co.

HELEN, LEONE and JEANETTE—Doing a trio singing act over the radio.

WENTEL BUCHE—A second Don Lash of the Safety Highway Police.

BILL CARROLL—President of the U. S. and the most sought-after bachelor in North America.

CHUCK CLARK—Taking a four-year post grad at Sing-Sing for bootlegging.

RUTH COOPER—Genuine cow girl on a dude ranch.

MARY DAVIS—Fan dancing to support a worthless husband—or two.

MILDRED DICKENS—Wondering what would happen if the "King" should abdicate.

DICK FALKINER—Star basketball player at N. U.

MILDRED FALKE—Winning laurels in the field of Domestic Science at Purdue.

PAUL FARSTER—Wandering in Asia still searching for the person who stole the C. P. H. S. paper stretcher.

FERNE FAUSER—Manicuring hands of millionaire bankers.

WILBUR FIEGLE—Having fun on the farm.

JEAN FIRMAN—Bouncer at a Cedar Lake night club.

DOROTHY FRONEK, EMMA NEIMEYER and KATHLEEN KAPER—Barn dancing over W. L. S. to the tune of \$50 a week.

LAVERNE HACK—Stuck at home with LaVerne Jr. while hubby attends his Saturday night "Western".

JIM HANIFORD—Coaching football at Purdue.

JEAN HERSHEY—Walking home with Evie Linton.

DICK HILL—President of Pepsi-Cola with offices above "Hoggy" Meyer's.

EDDIE HOFFMAN—Job hunting on the streets of Chicago.

WANDA HOFFMAN—Stenographing for a wild west cowboy.

HILDING HOLMQUIST—Teaching all the children in the neighborhood how to drive a teacher insane.

IRENE HUSEMAN—Always a bridesmaid but never a bride.

CHARLOTTE KAISER—President of the "Tweedle-Dum-Dee" Old Maid's Home."

DICK KAMMERT—Taking candy from under-privileged children.

LAVERNE KING—Taking care of baby while Mildred is at work.

GLADYS KINNE—Athletic director in the "Kouder Institute of Higher Learning."

HARVEY KNESEK—Holding forth a helping hand to everyone in need.

HERMAN KNESEK—Visiting with friends in Leavenworth, Kansas.

BOB KRETSCHMAR—Marooned on an island with fifty good-looking girls.

JOE LABUDA—Peacefully settled on a farm in Wisconsin.

BERNICE LAE—Typing copies for "True Romance" magazines.

CHARLES LEWIS—Cleaning cisterns for a living but never seeming to get out of the hole.

DICK LIKENS—Still trying to graduate from H. S.

CLIFFORD McELWEE—Teaching physics in a large Eastern college.

ED METZ—Colonel in the D. S. C. corps.

HELEN MIKUTA—Waiting for Ed to propose.

HAZEL NICHOLS—Doing book work in the Congressional Library.

DICK NICHOLS—Chief hep-cat in "Snicky" Nichol's swing sextet.

BETTY OSBORNE—Manager of a Gypsy Fortune Telling Palace.

HAROLD PETTIT—Still known as "Flash" by most of the girls around town.

FRIEDA PFOST—Lambasting Lamphier whenever she thinks he needs it.

VERA MAE PHILLIPS—Home helping mama.

DALE ROBERTSON—Shooting snipes and liking it.

IRENE ROUSHELANGE—Dancer among dancers.

ELIZABETH SCHIESSEER—Tomato canning instructor for the 4-H Club.

ANNA BELLE SCHNEIDER—Leading Roman G. a wild chase.

BEA SELLERS—Rocking a little Haniford to sleep.

JANE SMITH—Sending Chuckie Clark to college.

GLADYS SPITSON—Vice-president of that venerable harbor for aged females.

TED STEGER—Big oil tycoon in South America.

GEORGE STRATTON—Making ready for spring plowing time.

EVA MAE UTPATEL, EVELYN WORNHOFF, and ANNABELLE LUKE—All three milking grand champion cows at the International Livestock Show.

GERTRUDE VANDE CRAATS—Looking for Bob Kretschmar

BILL WAGNER—Living with "Mickey" Sullivan behind the Hub Cafe

GERTRUDE WEHNER—Glamour girl making good on Broadway.

ALICE WHITEHEAD—Setting her cap for a "count" or a Prince.

LOIS WOODS—Living somewhere---but definitely NOT in Crawfordville.

CLAYTON ZIESE—General manager of the Climax Plug Tobacco Co.

LENS VIEW

As the Teachers Know Them

Esther Abramson
 Henry Baum
 Nellie Beem
 Helen Bruce
 Leone Bruce
 Jeanette Bruce
 Wentel Buche
 William Carroll
 Charles Clark
 Ruth Cooper
 Mary Davis
 Mildred Dickens
 Richard Falkiner
 Mildred Felke
 Paul Farstor
 Ferne Fauser
 Wilbur Fiegle
 Jean Firman
 Dorothy Fronek
 LaVerne Hack
 James Haniford
 Jean Hershey
 Richard Hill
 Edward Hoffman
 Wanda Hoffman
 Hilding Holmquist
 Irene Huseman
 Charlotte Kaiser
 Richard Kammert
 Kathleen Kaper
 LaVern King
 Gladys Kinne
 Harvey Knesek
 Herman Knesek
 Robert Kretschmar
 Joe LaBuda
 Bernice Lae
 Charles Lewis
 Richard Likens
 Annabelle Luke
 Clifford McElwee
 William McKnight
 Edward Metz
 Helen Mikuta
 Hazel Nichols
 Richard Nichols
 Emma Neimeyer
 Betty Osborne
 Harold Pettit
 Freida Pfost
 Vera Mae Phillips
 Dale Robertson
 Irene Roushelonge
 Elizabeth Schiesser
 Anna Belle Schneider
 Beatrice Sellers
 Jane Smith
 Gladys Spitson
 Theodore Steger
 George Stratton
 Eva Mae Utpatel
 Gertrude Vande Craats
 Wilford Wagner
 Gertrude Wehner
 Alice Whitehead
 Lois Woods
 Evelyn Wornhoff
 Kathryn Wright
 Clayton Ziese

As We Know Them

Esther
 "Hank"
 "Patsy"
 "Brucie"
 "Lowie"
 "Nettie"
 "Weenie"
 "Willie"
 "Chuck"
 "Sherry"
 Mary
 "Millie"
 "Dick"
 "Falke"
 "Chink"
 Fauser
 Wilbur
 Jean
 "Dotty"
 "Hackie"
 "Foo"
 Hershey
 "Dick"
 "Snicker"
 "Shorty"
 "Homly"
 Irene
 Charlotte
 "Sandy"
 "Katie"
 King
 Kinne
 "Harv"
 "Hermie"
 "Dutch"
 Joe
 "Nice"
 "Chuck"
 "Dick"
 "Ancy"
 "McGoofy"
 "Mickey"
 "Eddie"
 "Kutie"
 Hazel
 "Snicky"
 "Emmie"
 "Ozzy"
 "We"
 "Fritz"
 "Tootsie Pretzel"
 "Robbie"
 "Enie"
 "Betty"
 "Ancy"
 "Bea"
 "Smithy"
 Spitson
 "Steddie"
 George
 Eva
 "Trudy"
 "Bill"
 "Gertie"
 "Spike"
 "Woodsey"
 "Evy"
 "Katie"
 Ziese

Weakness

Giggling
 Flirting
 Kinky permanents
 Choral work
 Basketball
 Gum and typing
 Women
 Reprobates
 "Camels"
 Talking about her dates
 "Bill"
 Athletics
 Studying?
 Pictures of Gabby Harnett
 Arguing
 Giggling in Salesmanship
 Farm Life
 R. O. T. C.
 Jewelry fads
 Cackle
 Football
 Library books
 Drawing in Safety Class
 Conversation
 Painted finger nails
 Doing nothing
 Smile
 Gift of Gab
 "Scitch" jokes
 Dancing
 Football
 Basketball
 Mary Margaret
 Lowell
 Smoking
 Watching football games
 Getting to Band Practice
 Arline
 Clowning
 4-H Work
 Bragging (?)
 Sleeping in class
 Studying
 Whistling
 Reading
 Lowell girls (?),
 Giggle
 Dramatics
 Big Ten
 Lamprier
 Tardiness
 Lowell dances
 Dances
 Cooking
 Weight
 'Foo'
 Chicago
 Valpo
 Girls
 Wide grin
 Bright colors
 Shorthand
 "Hoggies"
 Height
 Boys
 Boys
 Red hair-ribbon
 F. Serumur
 Eating

LENS VIEW

Disposition	Ambition	Where You'll Find Them.
Indifferent	Housewife	Sitting on steps with F. F.
Wanting to please	Grow a new goat	Holding water faucet
Talkative	Piping nurse	Leaning on locker and talking
Wide-awake	Dietician	G. A. A. meetings
Elfish	Phy. Ed. teacher	Kidding with Ferris
Flighty	Commercial teacher	On dates
Humorous	Circus clown	In the way
Changeable	Persuasive lawyer	Driving a bunch of students home
Sunny	"Ace" pilot No. 1	In the halls
Haughty	Yodel with Scotty	Visiting hospital What for????
Quiet	Pitch for C. P. Boosters	Riding in a Chevie
Determined	Marry the "King"	Teasing LaVern
Unruffled	Handsome Naval Officer	Sitting in car with H. Pettit
Jovial	Work on a dude ranch	Study hall
Agricultural	Scientific farmer	F. A. A. meetings
Sorta "nuts"	Competent nurse	With M. Falke
Shy	Champion hog raiser	"Ag" room
Affectionate	Fondling nurse	Talking with Nellie
Boisterous	Wedding bells	Working at North Ward
Noisy	Remain Mama's darling	Where she shouldn't be
Bored	Purdue	In assembly from 12:30 to 1:00
Nice	Actress	Typing stencils
Merry	Our Pepsi-Cola man	In the back seat of Bill's car
Darling	"Sunny-boy"	Talking to some girl
Timid	Persuasive Saleswoman	Grading Hornie's papers
Mopey	Street-cleaner or lawyer	Sweeping lunch room
Mild	Seamstress	Before Hom. Ec. mirror
Amicable	Sell I. G. A.	Girl Reserve
Bodacious	Cheerleader at Northwestern	Playing the Great Lover
Flirty	Private	Valpo
Genial	Renowned doctor	Millie
Peppy	Married life	Strong's sub-division
Friendly	Coach of All Stars	"Schmidt's" Grocery
Fiery	Unknown	Baseball diamond
Rough	Chef	Hiking to school
Humble	Prize tomato grower	Dissecting bugs
Gabby	Musician	With Emma
Whimsical	Any?	Leaning on banisters
Happy-go-lucky	Weenie's partner	Everywhere
Pleasant	Farmer's wife?	Walking with G. G.
Argumentative	Tobacco	Always busy
Drowsy	King's jester	Messin' around
Bashful	Chemical engineer	Where he should be
Cheery	Ideal office girl	Working in office
Reserved	None	Library
Spirited	Band director	Walking on his toes
Jolly	Snazzy music teacher	Band building
Dignified	Private duty	Having a good ol' time with Smithy
Pugnacious	Big Leaguer	Discussing basketball
Bored	Marriage	Riding with Johnny
Argumentative	Buyer for Carson's	Comin' late to school
Breezy	Stove-pipe cleaner	"Hoggie" Meyers
Flirtatious	Dancer of dancers	Going to Butler
Interested	Secretary	Working with Mr. Reed
Unconcerned	Undecided	With Evy W.
Tempermental	Commercial teacher	Assembly seat next to Jim
Cute	Own a beauty shop	By radiator surveying everyone
Demure	Go to college?	Combing her hair
Inert	Do what he wishes	Under his fir cap
Jocular	Flag-pole sitter	Standing on side walk
Agreeable	Consoled of the sick	Trying to reduce
Willing	Important secretary	Working at the courthouse
Dreamy	Sleep in class	Typing room
Cheerful	Circus giant	Secluded
Sophisticated	Society matron	Looking for Bill
Contrary	Torch singer	In the halls
Sweet	Famous beautician	Danceland
Attentive	Governess	Taking care of Bobbie
Uninterested	Up and coming farmer	Sleeping

THE FINAL FOCUS

The day was LUKE warm, and flies droned overhead as ROBERT'S SON, DALE, and the FIR-MAN'S daughter, JEAN, were sitting on a stump in the WOODS with LOIS by the three BRUCE trees.

The day was LUKE warm, and who should come along but the KING with his grand WHITE HEAD having a DICKENS of a time trying to BEAT the RICE for his supper. He pulled a RIG-LEAF from the tree near by, and sat down on an over-turned POST. While he continued with his preparations for supper, he talked to the group which grew larger and larger as Emma Niemeyer, HER-MAN KNESEK and C. Clark drove in on the HACK which was LaVerne's one pride and joy.

The KING was quite absorbed in his work as he put forth a non-chalant question. "What are you going to do after the last day of school?"

Chuck said, "I'll be all "WORN-OFF" by the time I reach the HILL, so I'll relax."

Betty Osborne KAPERed in and said, "Oh, he can't do that, "KIN-NE"?

CARROLLing and BEEMing like a little boy, Dicky Nichols hopped in and LAE down, for he, too, was tired of the long climb to the top of the HILL. "Me-too," he added.

"Well, well," muttered the KING, "All tired, eh?"

Ziese strolled in and said, "I feel like BAUMing the place. I'm so happy!"

As Ted STEGERed on the scene, he seemed to get the "drift" of the situation. "WRIGHT, WRIGHT", that's the way to feel," he cried, giving poor Katie not a chance to say anything.

PETTIT Vera Mae clambered up and chimed in with, "I'm going to ask Mama for some NICHOLS. Then I'm going to PHIL-LUP my HANDY-FORD and take the Smith girl for a ride."

"Oh, SELL-ER!" called the Smith girl.

Ah, ha! Who should stroll in on the group but Wanda, her HUFF-MAN, Eddie Harvey, as if he were a ton of Clay, and little Gertie, WEH-NER the end of the line. Gertie pulled out some FERNES near-by and some flowers that were 'LA-BUD-Ad out, and then she looked thoughtful. HAR-OLD friend Jean walked in and said that SHIE-SSER (she sure) was glad that she were through. It 'CHAR was a LOTTE of work! What about McKnight? Did he LIKE'NS school, or didn't he? "GLAD-Y'S to be out," remarked Spitson.

FARSTER and FARSTER, the KING BEAT his RICE. There comes Metz. "HUSE MAN is he?" inquired Bob Kretchmar as HE-LENed on a WEE CLIFF?

"WENTEL" said Bueche. Then up came Hilding in QUEST of his HOME.

Falkiner then came up and DAVIS opinion. "Oh, I want to be a COOPER after school's out. Falke was MILD RED to say the least in exclaiming that she was glad the trip was done. ABRAM' SON, Charlie, then made his appearance.

Ahoy! There comes MI KUTIE, Eva. E-NIE she sweet? Dorothy Fronek and ANN'ther BELLE, Gertrude Vande Caats, and last of all Dick Kammert, George Stratton and Bill Wagner joined the assemblage.

"Are we all here?" asked the KING.

"Yes, yes, to be sure," they all cried. "When do we eat?"

"Before we begin, I'd like you to commit yourself," said the KING. The question did not have to be asked for heads nodded, lips quivered, and tears fell as The Last Supper was commenced, for all were sorry the day was done.

JUNIOR CLASS



Sponsors: Miss Dice, Mr. Bunn, Mr. Reed

Motto: "Labor Conquers All"

Flower: Red Carnation.

Colors: Crimson and Grey

The juniors have labored under three main worries this year—the class play, "Seventeen;" the junior-senior prom; and the selling of holly wreaths at Christmas time.

First Row—Dorothy Andrews, Ethel Anduskey, Edna Bacon, Bob Batterman, John Beck, Mary Bendza, Shirley Benson, Rosemary Biegel, Burdette Bisselberg, Dick Bunker, Kathryn Cannon, George Carroll.
Second Row—Don Casey, Virginia Cole, Melvin Crawford, Mary Dance, Donald Danielson, Paul Davis, Milo Dobes, Maynard Dykes, Gerald Fiegle, Ileen Fischer, Lillie Mae Ford, Helen Fulk.
Third Row—Harold Fricke, Gladys Gard, Rodney Gervais, Alice Goethal, Lorres Golden, Marjorie Golden, Joan Hannon, Betty Halnes, Karel Hanslik, Harold Hanson, John Hard, Jim W. Harris.
Fourth Row—Jane Heinze, Marjorie Hobson, Kathryn Holman, Bill Houldson, Ruth Howe, Wilbur Huseman, John Ingram, Eleanor Jebens, Arla Johnson, Jack Keehn, Elwood Kelsey, Betty Kindberg.
Fifth Row—Art Kistler, Richard Kline, Mary Kolling, Dick LaCroix, Harry Lewis, Darrell Luckey, Harriett Meyers, Margery Middleton, Margaret Miller, Anna Nassau, Frances Patton, Lois Peterson.
Sixth Row—Pat Pettibone, Irene Phillips, Janet Place, Cecil Riley, Joe Rudolph, Jack Sabin, Wilma Schultz, Wilen Shisler, Evelyn Smith, Mary Ellen Strong, Jack Tadman, Ollie Thompson.
Seventh Row—Bob Veach, Leonard Vick, Leona Warren, Lillian Wietbrock, Bob Westphal, Thomas Williams, John Winberry, Martha Young, Albert Ziesness, Mary Margaret Ziese.

SOPHOMORE CLASS



First Row—Wilbur Adank, Iva Jean Ammerman, Wanda Anderson, Florence Barman, Dorothy Barnhart, John Biegel, Albin Bjorklund, Forrest Blakeman, Rita Bohling, Dick Bowen, Merritt Buckley, Loretta Burbulis, Second Row—Elsie Busse, Philip Brown, Wayne Carlson, Art Christian, George Drackert, Roy Erickson, Charlotte Farnum, Bud Feinglass, Elmer Finkelman, Bill Gervais, Max Goetha, Bob Grayson, Third Row—Bud Griesel, Garth Griffen, Bill Gullie, Max Eilen, Hogan, Hanne, Eleanor Heidbreder, Ila Mae Heisterhers, Ralph Henderlong, Bob Hennin, Lester Hershman, Rodger Holland, Charles Holloway, Fourth Row—Kenneth Holmquist, Stella Houldson, Dean Hull, Elizabeth Jacobs, Harry Johns, Charles Keck, Donald King, Carl Knesek, James Kretschmar, Henrietta Krieter, Audrey Lessom, Bernard Lewis, Fifth Row—Lois Linton, Irl Matatas, Lorraine Mekukas, Margaret McElwee, Lily McElwee, Ernest Niemeyer, Fred Niemeyer, Hattie Paarberg, Margaret Palmer, Bob Peters, Max Riedel, Eilen Rettig, Sixth Row—La Verne Pigure, John Pinter, Morton Porch, Ralph Reeder, Walter Ringen, Ruth Robertson, Robert Robinson, Donald Ross, Dorothy Ross, Victoria Sato, Robert Sauerman, Teresa Scherer, Seventh Row—Kay Schaff, Ralph Schroeter, John Schmidt, Norman Seeger, Velda Seramur, Bill Selkow, Russell Simpkins, Michael Smith, Edward Spencer, Harold Steiner, Irvin Steiner, Margaret Stillson, Eighth Row—Elsie Strakie, Herman Strakie, Louise Stroh, Thomas Taggart, Harry Tennen, Dorothy Tyler, Joseph Tyler, Mary Valles, Virginia Van Horn, Gordon Watt, Clarence Wente, Kenneth Werline, Ninth Row—Juanita Westby, Lee Westby, Hank Wheeler, Martha Whitehead, Phyllis Wiethrook, Lorraine Wright, Junior Wood, George Zajicek, Bud Young.

Motto: "United we stand; divided we fall" Colors: Silver and blue. Flower: White carnation

The sophomores sponsored a dance and a picture show, "Paradise Isle" and "Passport Husband", and are just beginning to gather the funds with which to develop their future activities.

FRESHMAN CLASS



Charles Zimmerman

First Row—Kenneth Abramson, Janet Adank, Bob Barkley, Bernyne Berkley, Dorothy Blimm, Marie Bohling, Jacqueline Bouressa, Carolyn Bunker, June Buyer, Ed Casey, Buddy Church, Bob Cole.
 Second Row—Donald Dillabaugh, Don Eichelberger, Dale Fauser, Louis Ferrero, Herman Fiegle, Shirley Forsythe, Paul Frame, Rosemary Glinski, Dick Glover, Roberta Hannon, Jim Harris, Mildred Hobson.
 Third Row—Herbert Hook, Harold Horst, Gerald Horst, Esther Howe, Lester Ede, Theodora Jebens, Bob Kaldahl, Catherine Kentner, Donald Kling, Jimmy Knight, Dick Kretschmar, Josephine Krieter.
 Fourth Row—Eleanor Gilbert, Betty LaCroix, Edris LaCroix, Glen Leson, Marie Lewis, Roland Lewis, Vivian Lindsay, Leon Lutz, Alice Hall, Ethel Mathias, Naom Maxwell, Harry Meyers.
 Fifth Row—Velma Mick, Betty Middleton, John Minas, John Nobler, Harry Murray, Charles McFadden, Bill Nassau, Charles Neese, Norma Jean Nether, Mary Newell, Thomas O'Connell, Betty Pardee.
 Sixth Row—Geraldine Phillips, Bob Pierce, Virgil Place, Arline Price, Helen Purich, Chester Record, Bob Rettig, John Newcomb, Robert Riley, Helen Rinzen, Edward Rossi, Gilbert Roushlangen.
 Seventh Row—Albert Sabernak, Ralph Scheidt, Leonora Schneider, Mildred Selkow, Bernard Seramur, Bob Seramur, Charles Shantz, Janet Rae Smith, Florence Steuer, Pete Stillson, Chester Suttle, Lorraine Stymezak.
 Eighth Row—Bennett Tyler, Kenneth Vandenburg, Dick Veach, Iole Velutini, Lila Vick, Viola Wemple, Karl Werline, Albert White, Frances White, Herbert Whitehead, Albert Williams, Edna Wornhoff, Charles Zimmer, Marjorie Zurbriggen.

Sponsors: Mrs. Seamonson, Mr. Baker, Mr. Hornbrook
 Colors: Green and white

Contrary to the general run of verdure, these freshmen proved to be ambitious and alert and adjusted themselves to their high school work immediately. Their first class project was selling stationery.

JUNIOR HIGH



First Row—(Eighth Grade) De Loris Abraham, Mary Adams, Richard Banser, Billy Beck, Murrell Belanger, Jack Bond, Bill Borchert, Joyce Breyfogle, Betty Carroll, Murray Cook, Cecil Conquest, Joanne Cox, Walter Elts.

Second Row—Lee Fagen, Dorothy Falkiner, Georgia Fate, Walter Ford, Paul Gilea, Madell Gumbiner, Pearl Heldt, Edward Heuer, Paul Hines, Alma Houk, Patrick Isenbarger, Raymond Kinzer, Dorothy Koll.

Third Row—Mary Kretschmar, Herbert Lamphier, Joan Lottes, Evelyn Mikuta, Flora Nichols, Mary Pettibone, Chandos Ragon, Virgil Schilling, Ruth Schmidt, Wayne Seegers, Bruce Shisler, Bertha Smith, Robert Spencer.

Fourth Row—David Stewart, John Swanson, Lila Utpatel, Doris Westphal, Billy Whitehead, Louise Will, Don Zajicek, (Seventh Grade) Jean Argo, June Argo, Bernice Bacon, Edgar Baker, Robert Bartholomew.

Fifth Row—Joan Beck, Arthid Becker, Robert Becker, Margaret Blankenship, Geneva Bosel, Lee Boyd, Corinne Bunker, Mary Cannon, Barbara Church, Margaret Clark, Mary Clark, John Claussen, William Biggs.

Sixth Row—Hilda Entenmann, Ida Fauser, Harvey Fritz, Gwendolyn Hamilton, Lloyd Haniford, Phyllis Haniford, Charles Hegan, Patricia Hickman, Raymond Hofferber, Frederick Holloway, Harrison Hudson, Lillian Ifyu, Jimmy Johnston.

Seventh Row—Patricia Kickels, Meredith Krost, Marian Lank, Viola Malott, Darrell McFadden, Mary McFadden, Jack Mund, Jeanette Murray, Aubrey Owen, Robert Owen, Virginia Prochno, Kenneth Ringen, Rachel Roberts.

Eighth Row—Donald Robertson, Orson Ruehl, Joan Schafer, Carl Schmidt, Jack Shuttz, Mary Smith, Virginia Smith, Marion Stoerker, Everett Teagle, Mary Via, Hardin Williams, Norma Wise.

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE

An exceedingly active group out at the portable this year accomplished great things. They out-earned all other classes at the carnival and also elected Bruce Shisler as king of this annual function. With the money in their treasury they bought basketball suits, a pop-corn machine, letter awards for the deserving basketball teams, and had numerous parties and picnics. In athletics their teams did admirably. The football team won both of its encounters with St. Mary's and lost only one out of four softball games, that one to Lowell in a conference heat. During their regular season of basketball, the grade team played eleven games, winning 8, losing 3. The "Bull Pups" placed second in the Little 8 conference, winning 6 of the 8 contests. Both times they lost to Griffith who came out at the top of the conference. The team's followers were led in yells by Edgar Baker, Flora Ann Nichols, and Mary Ann Pettibone.

JUNIOR HIGH B. B. TEAM



First Row—Richard Banser (Mgr.), Kenneth Ringen, John Swanson, Carl Schmidt, Billy Whitehead, Edward Heuer, Murrel Belanger.

Second Row—Mr. Cochran, Harvey Fritz, Hardin Williams, Lee Fagen, Orson Ruehl, Robert Becker.

Third Row—Herbert Lamphier, Bruce Shisler (Capt.), Frederick Holloway, Bill Borchert, Paul Gilea, Lloyd Haniford, Chandos Ragon, Wayne Seegers, Cecil Conquest, Darrell McFadden.



ACTION SHOTS — SPEED — STILLS



*Wanda
Anderson*



Bea Sellers, Dick Kammert, Wanda Anderson,
Bud Young, Vera Mae Phillips

VARSITY FOOTBALL



First Row—Seramur, Shuttz, H. Horst, Vandenburg, Feighner, Keck, Lump, Frame, Kretschmar, Rettig, Bowen.

Second Row—Pinter, Riley, Hoffman, Ziese, Herman Knesek, King, Haniford, Buche, Harvey Knesek, Holmquist, Nichols (Mgr.), Brown.

Third Row—Rudolph (Mgr.), C. Knesek (Mgr.), R. Gervais, Westbay, Kelsey, Henderlong, Keehn, Lewis, Veach, Carroll, Grayson, Carlson.

Fourth Row—Woods, Ringen, Harris, Seegers, Nassau, Steuer, Kistler, G. Horst, Hanslik, Davis, Vick, B. Gervais, B. Lewis, Christman, Coach Ferris.

Crown Point's 1938 Bulldog gridders boast a record of three wins, five losses, and one tie. Compared with past years, this season was a big success. The team possessed a wealth of power, brains, and experience which accounts for the good showing made. With most of the 1937 team back and with the addition of several underclassmen, Coach Ferris developed a team that was feared by all opponents. It can be said truthfully that no team faced Crown Point this season with the confidence of an easy victory. Any team that beat the Bulldogs had to batter the Bulldog spirit all the way. Future teams will look back with pride at the 1938 team as an important cog in the wheel that developed the true Bulldog spirit in Crown Point athletics.

VALPARAISO 26; CROWN POINT 0.

The initial game of the season was played against Valparaiso on the home grounds. Valpo brought a team that was faster and more experienced than any team the Bulldogs faced all season. The green-shirted visitors settled down and battled to a 26 to 0 win on a very muddy field. Incidentally, Valpo was undefeated all season against many bigger schools than Crown Point, which takes some of the sting out of our defeat.

LOWELL 0; CROWN POINT 6.

On September 16, the Bulldogs traveled to Lowell and there dealt the Reddevils a 6 to 0 defeat. The highlight of the game came late in the second quarter when Lowell came to within the Crown Point five-yard marker three times only to be held to downs each time. After that the Bulldogs found themselves and outbattled their opponents the rest of the game.

WEST LAFAYETTE 20; CROWN POINT 6.

The West Lafayette game on September 22 was another thriller. After traveling all the way to Lafayette the boys simply couldn't get started. As a consequence, the West Lafayette eleven came out ahead 20 to 6. The game was closer than the score shows. Lafayette was hard-pushed several times but each time the Bulldogs couldn't get the last push to score. The contest was a hard-fought, cleanly-played one.

GRIFFITH 0; CROWN POINT 33.

Playing once again on their home field, the Bulldogs showed their heels to Griffith's Panthers in a 33 to 0 victory. The game was well-played by Crown Point who took advantage of every opportunity. Co-captain Jim Haniford was the star of the game with 27 points chalked up by his name.

RENSSELAER 19; CROWN POINT 0.

In the first of two afternoon games, the Bulldogs dropped a decision to Rensselaer. Playing at Rensselaer with the temperature around the eighties was no snap; however, the Bulldogs played hard and well at all times. Co-captain King was slightly hurt in the second half, which had much to do with the 19 to 0 score.

HOBART 13; CROWN POINT 13

On October 15 the Bulldogs played another "hot" afternoon game, this time at Hobart. The Brickies were a cocky bunch when they took the field, but the Bulldogs took the air out of their sails in a hurry. With the score tied 13 to 13 in the final quarter, Crown Point's hopes were raised and lowered three times when red and white clad players dashed over for touchdowns only to have them called back because of penalties. Only tough luck kept the Bulldogs from winning their third victory.

TOLLESTON 6; CROWN POINT 26

The Bulldogs made up for the Hobart game the next week when they faced Tolleston's Blue Raiders and a 40-mile gale in a battle royal at Gary. After the ice-laden wind had blown the dust off the field, the score-board showed a 26 to 6 win for the Bulldogs. Again the Crown Pointers had come through with their fighting spirit to win.

LOWELL 9; CROWN POINT 6.

After the Tolleston game, the Bulldogs were well prepared to face the Reddevils of Lowell again. Having been defeated once on their own grounds, the Lowellians were out for revenge. They got it, but only after one of the most exciting games ever seen in Crown Point. The two thousand fans that lined the field saw the Bulldogs come back from a 9 to 6 disadvantage to a fine scoring position on the three yard line only to have a fumble cost them the score. A fourth quarter score prevented a shut-out. Lowell's win was largely due to two trick plays that confused the locals and threw them off balance.

MOROCCO 6; CROWN POINT 0.

The Bulldogs closed their season on November 4 with a 6 to 0 defeat at the hands of a fast Morocco team. The game was close from start to finish with the speed of the Morocco backfield the deciding factor in the outcome.

Although the season was not the best, it did net for the Bulldogs the Little-Four Conference championship. By virtue of their wins over Griffith and Tolleston, and their tie with Hobart, the Bulldogs were first place honor men. On the Little-Four all-conference team announced at the end of the season, we found four Crown Point boys—Co-captains Haniford and King, Harvey Knesek and Wentel Buche. Haniford and King were honored again when they were given honorable mention on the all-state prep team. It is hoped that the Bulldogs of 1939 will continue to better the fine record shown by this year's eleven. With almost a complete lineup of experienced players and a host of reserves, Coach Ferris will have a good chance to prove to the public that Crown Point is to be feared on the gridiron at all times.



*Top row: Don Casey, Art Christman, Lavern King
Bottom row: Karl Hanslik, Harry Lewis, Bob Grayson, Carl Knesek, Harold Petit*



Coach Ferris

BASKET BALL



Harvey Knesek,
Mgr.

The basketball team this year roused itself from its long lethargy and established a record of 5 wins and 15 losses. The Bulldogs were handicapped by lack of experienced material, but they kept fighting and did win several tough games.

Crown Point 19
Crown Point 24
Crown Point 23
Crown Point 15
Crown Point 31
Crown Point 25

Wolcott 25
Goodland 26
Griffith 27
Edison 29
Chesterton 33
Griffith 23

The Crown Point and Griffith game on December 10 was the first Bulldog victory of the year. It was also the first Crown Point win over Griffith in four seasons. The Bulldogs held the lead over the Panthers throughout the last quarter.

From Bottom to top, left to right: Don Casey, Art Christman, Lavern King, Karl Hanslik, Harry Lewis, Bob Grayson, Carl Knesek, Harold Petit.

Crown Point 38

Merrillville 23

Their second win of the year was over the Merrillville quintet on the home floor. The Bulldog's pressing attack was greatly improved in this game and they out-played their opponents throughout.

TOURNEY

Crown Point 27	Lowell 40
Crown Point 21	Tolleston 29
Crown Point 28	Merrillville 19
Crown Point 27	Wheeler 25

The Invitational Holiday Tournament was held at Crown Point on December 28 and 29. The Eight teams participating were: Crown Point, Hobart, Edison, Tolleston, Griffith, Calumet Township, and Merrillville. Crown Point's efforts were rewarded with third place honors. After having lost to Tolleston in their first round game, Crown Point met and vanquished both Merrillville and Wheeler. The latter game was the consolation game, before the finals and was decided only when Jim Haniford hit a basket in an over-time period. Edison won the tournament for the second time.

Crown Point 15	Wolcott 24
Crown Point 15	Hobart 29
Crown Point 23	Rensselaer 33
Crown Point 27	Hobart 42
Crown Point 25	Tolleston 30
Crown Point 21	Lowell 17

By far the best game of the season was played against Lowell on February 17. Lowell had previously defeated the Bulldogs, but the Bulldogs were undaunted. When the final gun went off the Bulldogs were on the long end of a 21-17 score. This was the first hardwood win over Lowell in three years.

Crown Point 42	Edison 46
Crown Point 17	Morocco 34
Crown Point 38	Edison 55

(Sectional at East Chicago)

G. Bowen
"B" TEAM BASKETBALL



First Row—John Biegel, John Pinter, Mr. Bowen, Wayne Carlson, Dick Bowen.
Second Row—Clarence Wente, Bob Feighner, Garth Griffin, Lee Westbay, Gerald

Fiegle.

Third Row—Ralph Henderlong (Mgr.) Rodney Gervais, Elwood Kelsey, Walter Ringen, Phillip Brown, Richard Kline.

Coach Bowen's "B" team was a very successful organization this season with a record of ten wins and nine losses. Securing material for the varsity was Mr. Bowen's task, and he was rewarded by the advancement of several players. His other boys also advanced in knowledge and ability and will bolster the varsity in the future.

The results of the game played this season:

Crown Point 31	Wolcott 23
Crown Point 21	Goodland 6
Crown Point 14	Griffith 25
Crown Point 13	Edison 19
Crown Point 20	Chesterton 10
Crown Point 18	Griffith 20
Crown Point 25	Merrillville 11
Crown Point 21	Lowell 18
Crown Point 22	Wolcott 14
Crown Point 25	Hobart 17
Crown Point 16	Rensselaer 21

TOURNAMENT

Crown Point 20 Hobart 15
Crown Point 16 Tolleston 17
Crown Point 12 Hobart 35
Crown Point 19 Tolleston 20

Crown Point 30 Miller 25
Crown Point 25 Lowell 13
Crown Point 18 Edison 27
Crown Point 23 Morocco 27

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL TEAM



First Row—Jim Harris (Manager).

Second Row—Harold Horst, Bob Pierce, Jimmy Knight, Bud Church, Herbert Whitehead.

Third Row—Edward Casey, Paul Frame, Bill Nassau, Charles Shutz, Gerald Horst.

Fourth Row—Mr. Bowen, Bob Barkley, Charles McFadden, Don Kline, Ralph Henderlong (Manager).

The freshman team started the season with high hopes of having another good season after their junior high year's record. Their hopes were fulfilled when, at the end of the season, they had won seven and lost three. Their victories over Tolleston and Hobart in the Little Four Freshman Tourney at Griffith won for them the Little Four championship which was quite an honor.

Coach Bowen has taught these boys, not only the fundamentals of passing, dribbling, and shooting, but also, how to play the game fairly and squarely with fighting spirit.

The future looks bright for these boys. They are the varsity of tomorrow, and they look like championship material.

The results of games played are as follow:

Merrillville 14	Crown Point 16
Griffith 14	Crown Point 19
Tolleston 15	Crown Point 16
Hobart 15	Crown Point 16
Hobart 21	Crown Point 17
Merrillville 9	Crown Point 25
Hobart 15	Crown Point 15
Tolleston 30	Crown Point 14
Miller "B" 10	Crown Point 25
Tolleston 21	Crown Point 23

LETTERMEN'S CLUB



First Row—Bob Grayson, Harold Horst, Wayne Carlson, Coach Ferris, Herman Knesek, Gerald Horst, Paul Frame, Robert Fieghner

Second Row—Cecil Riley, Charles Shuttz, Carl Knesek, Rodney Gervais, Harvey Knesek, Ralph Henderlong, George Carroll.

Third Row—Hilding Holmquist, Donald Casey, Harry Lewis, Gerald Fiegle, Richard Falkiner, William Nassau, Bernard Seramur.

Fourth Row—Elwood Kelsey, Lee Westbay, Karel Hanslik, Jack Keehn, Wilbur Fiegle, Lavern King, Walter Ringen.

Fifth Row—Wentel Buche, Jim Haniford, Edward Hoffman, Leonard Vick, Leon Lump, Harold Pettit, Bill Gervais

Sixth Row—John Pinter, Robert Rettig, Charles Holloway, Paul Davis, George Drackert, Clayton Ziese

INTRAMURAL SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL



First Row—Lester Hershman, Mr. Lamb, Irvin Steuer.

Second Row—Alvin Bjorklund, Don Ross, John Schmidt, Bill Gervais, Norman Seegers

Third Row—Wilbur Adank, Ralph Henderlong (Mgr.)

GIRLS' VARSITY



First Row—Velda Seramur, Leone Bruce, Mildred Dickens, Helen Tennant.

Second Row—Helen Bruce, Lillian Wietbrock, Bea Sellers, Miss Dice, Jeanette Bruce, Mary Davis, Gladys Kinne.

Following the class basketball tournament in which the senior girls again captured the championship, Miss Dice, athletic director, chose the basketball varsity team for '39.

Due to their outstanding work and co-operation on the class teams, ten girls were selected for this honor. These girls represent the three upper classes. The seniors came first by contributing seven members, the sophomores second, with two; and the juniors third, with one.

The basis on which these girls are chosen is their knowledge of the game, the rules, and their attitude toward fellow players and officials.

The members of the 1939 basketball varsity are as follows: forwards—Gladys Kinne, Leone Bruce, Bea Sellers, Lillian Wietbrock, and Velda Seramur; guards—Jeanette Bruce, Helen Bruce, Mildred Dickens, Helen Tennant and Mary Davis.

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



First Row—Gladys Kinne, Mildred Dickens, Helen Bruce, Jeanette Bruce, Miss Dice, Leone Bruce, Bea Sellers, Janet Place, William Wietbrock, Martha Young.
 Second Row—Jacqueline Bourserr, Geraldine Phillips, Florence Steuer, Donald King, Lila Vick, Stella Houldson, Marjorie Golden, Rita Bohling, Helen Fennell, Helen Mikuta, Beatrice Biegel.
 Third Row—Marc Novakow, Norma Jean Nelson, Maxine Mikuta, Margaret Ziese, Jane Heinze, Janet Adank, June Buyer, Margaret Miller, Alice Goethal, Charlotte Kaiser, Dorothy Ross.
 Fourth Row—Edris LaCroix, Velda Serumur, Anna Nassau, Mildred Selkow, Esther Abramson, Dorothy Andrews, Joan Hannon, Bernice Lae, Emma Niemeyer, Virginia Cole, Vera Mae Phillips.
 Fifth Row—Lois Linton, Dorothy Tyler, Marie Goethal, Margaret Stillson, Mildred Smith, Marjorie Mitch, Dorothy Barnhart, Miss Davis, Ardith McCarron, Iole Vellutini.
 Sixth Row—Arline Price, Louise Swope, Phyllis Wietbrock, Florence Barman, Wanda Anderson, Mary Ellen Pettit, Martha Whitehead, Lois Woods.
 Seventh Row—Betty Osborne, Jean Firman, Alice Whitehead, Betty Kindberg, Roberta Hannon, Helen Ringen, LaVerne Hack.

The Girls' Athletic Club, under the direction of Miss Dice, started off its '38-'39 season by electing their officers as follows: President, Helen Bruce; Vice-president, Leone Bruce; Secretary, Janet Place; Treasurer, Pat Pettibone.

The Letterman Club and G. A. A. sponsored a dance in honor of our gridmen. The dance was a grand success with the whole "crowd" turning out to see Jane Heinze, junior, elected queen of the pigskin world of C. P. H. S.

With the starting of the new semester a new crew was elected to lead the organization—President, Leone Bruce; Vice-president, Beatrice Sellers; Secretary, Janet Place; Treasurer, Gladys Ann Kinne.

After the holidays the basketball season got under way with the senior six out to defend their record of "all wins". The seniors handed down a 22-10 defeat to the sophomores in the finals on the Community building hardwood.

During the year nine members of the senior basketball team were awarded a red and white C. P. coat-sweater, each having obtained 1500 points. The girls to receive their sweaters were: Beatrice Sellers, Leone Bruce, Gladys Ann Kinne, Jeanette Bruce, Mildred Dickens, Helen Bruce, La Verne Hack, Mary Davis, and Helen Mikuta.



MUSICAL PATTERNS

OUR BAND



Crown Point has a well organized and uniformed band. It is organized and perfected under a military system, a system of merits and demerits that promotes efficiency and obedience. The officers in this system are: Captain, Dick Nichols; First Lieut., Donald Casey; Second Lieut., Louise Swope; Quartermaster, Russell Simpkins; Sergeant, Mary Ellen Pettit; and Corporals, Margaret Jane Palmer, Martha Whitehead, Charles McFadden, Bill Gullic and Julius Griesel. Student directors are Bea Sellers and Dick Nichols.

The band practices and rehearses diligently for various concerts, contests and programs. The concerts of the year were November 5, and March 17.

We are proud to claim the "snappy, high-stepping" baton twirlers, Mary Ellen Pettit, Charles McFadden and Bill Gullic; to say nothing of Jimmy Knight, our handsome young Drum-Major.

The band has sponsored several activities to raise sufficient funds to send the band members to the various contests this spring. A few of these activities are, a dinner, a raffle, a movie, a donkey basketball game, a tag day, and a St. Patrick's Day Dance.

Under the direction of Mr. Eldon Ready, our band has been converted into a fine playing and marching band. Each year we say our band is the best band Crown Point has ever had; but it seems to me that it improves with years, which verifies the statement that "Preparedness is the Keynote to Success."



SAXOPHONE QUARTET

Don Casey, Ardith McCarty, Don Zajicek,
Harold Fricke.



BRASS SEXTET

Ted Steger, Bernice Lae, Dean Hull, Mildred
Hobson, Mildred Selkow, Burdette Bisselberg



DIRECTOR
Mr. Ready



H. S. CLARINET TRIO
Martha Whitehead, Milo Dobes, Bud
Young.



JR. H. S. CLARINET QUARTET
James Knight, Bob Barkley, Edris LaCroix,
Betty Pardee



HORN QUARTET
Mary Ellen Pettit, Mildred Hobson, Corinne
Bunker, Betty Carroll.

HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS



First Row—Victoria Sato, Velma Mick, Henrietta Krieter, Lily McElwee, Helen Mikuta, Lois Woods, Mrs. Thomas, Geraldine Phillips, Florence Barman, Betty LaCroix, Mary Dance, Jane Smith.

Second Row—Kathleen Kaper, Mary Margaret Ziese, Helen Bruce, Anna Nassau, Evelyn Wornhoff, Marjorie Mitch, Lily Mae Ford, Mary Ellen Hegan, Frieda Pfost, Bea Sellers, Martha Young.

Third Row—Betty Haines, Ruth Howe, Marjorie Hobson, Charles Clark, Albin Bjorklund, Gordon Watt, John Hard, Richard Glover, Kenneth Holmquist, Rita Bohling, Mary Valkes, Iva Jean Ammerman.

Fourth Row—Marjorie Golden, Audrey Leeson, Alice Goethal, Betty Lou Middleton, Ernest Niemeyer, Bernard Lewis, Richard Nichols, Janet Place, Rosemary Biegel, Leone Bruce, June Buyer.

Fifth Row—Eleanor Jebens, Annabelle Luke, Mildred Selkow, Iole Vellutini, Jacqueline Bouressa, Ruth Cooper, Irene Phillips, Dorothy Ross, Norma Jean Nethery, Marjorie Middleton, Jean Firman.

Sixth Row—Jeanette Bruce, Leanoore Schneider, Emma Niemeyer, Stella Houldson, Ila Mae Heisterberg, Vera Mae Phillips, Lorraine Wright, Betty Osborne, Robert Kretschmar, Elizabeth Jacobs.

Seventh Row—Janet Rae Smith, Irene Rouhslange, Gladys Gard, Jack Tadman, La Verne Hack, Harold Hanson, Clifford McElwee, Bernice Lae, Richard Hill, Richard Kline, Dorothy Fronek, Margaret Miller, Mary Ellen Strong.

Eighth Row—Hazel Nichols, Theodora Jebens, Charlotte Kaiser, Shirley Forsythe, Ardith McCarty, Roberta Hannon, Janet Adank, Loretta Burbulis, Marjorie Zurbrigen, Mary Benda, Anna Belle Schneider.

The choral department is a very large and active organization consisting of the following groups: The Girls' Ensemble, Boys' Ensemble, Boys' Quartet, Triple Trio, and the High School Choir of ninety-five voices. The outstanding concert of the first semester was the annual Music Festival, on Sunday, December 11, 1938.

Before Christmas vacation, the traditional custom of singing Christmas carols in the corridors was carried out again with organ accompaniment.

The smaller groups appeared frequently before the various clubs and organizations and also took part in numerous assembly programs.

During the second semester the entire chorus made its second appearance of the year at the Music Festival on May 4-5. The grades presented a program on the night of May 4 and the high school choir presented a program on the night of May 5. The chorus will also present the music for the Baccalaureate service, May 21.

This year's graduating class would like to express our appreciation to Mrs. Thomas for her unlimited patience and for her efforts in training various groups for public appearances.



MRS. THOMAS



TRIPLE TRIO

First Row—Martha Young, Bea Sellers, Gladys Gard, Lois Woods.
Second Row—Vera Mae Phillips, Janet Place, Helen Bruce, Jean Firman, June Buyer.

CADET ENSEMBLE

First Row—Helen Mikuta, Jane Smith, Irene Roushslange, Norma Jean Nethery, Dorothy Ross, Mary Ellen Hegan.

Second Row—Florence Barman, Rosemary Biegel, Margery Middleton, Leone Bruce, Janet Rae Smith, Mary Dance.

Third Row—Kathleen Kaper, Margaret Miller, Lorraine Wright, Stella Houldson, Ila Mae Heisterberg, Ruth Cooper.

Fourth Row—Mildred Selkow, Anna-belle Luke, Betty Osborne, LaVerne Hack, Elizabeth Jacobs, Dorothy Fronek, Jeanette Bruce



BOYS' ENSEMBLE

First Row—Dick Glover, Kenneth Holmquist, Rodger Holland, Chuck Clark, Bernard Lewis.

Second Row—John Hard, Dick Nichols, Kay Schafer, Bill Gervais, Ernest Niemeyer.

Third Row—Richard Kline, Elwood Kelsey, Gordon Watt, Albin Bjorklund, Russell Simpkins.

Fourth Row—Harold Hanson, Jack Tadman, Clifford McElwee, Dick Hill, Robert Kretschmar.

BOYS' QUARTET

Clifford McElwee, Bernard Lewis, Harold Hanson, Dick Hill.





FLASH —— LIGHTS —— ACTION



DEBATE



First Row—Victoria Sato, Miss Kennedy, Shirley Benson, Helen Mikuta.

Second Row—Mary Davis, William Carroll, Jack Tadman, Melvin Crawford, Hank Wheeler.

The debate squad this year received valuable experience both in public speaking and in association with other students in other schools. They visited Purdue and Indiana Universities where debate conferences were held, and they also attended many contests in other schools. Needless to say, they had a great deal of fun at all these places and enjoyed meeting other high school students with whom they became friendly. Having had one year of experience, the varsity derived more pleasure from debating and were better able to think on their feet since they did not become "scared stiff" every time they spoke.

Upholding the proposition, "Resolved: That the United States should form an alliance with Great Britain", as affirmatives were Helen Mikuta, first speaker, and Shirley Benson, second speaker. The negative speakers were Mary Davis, first, and Bill Carroll, second. These four students constituted the first team while Melvin Crawford and Hank Wheeler were the second team affirmatives and Victoria Sato and Jack Tadman, the negatives.

In the first contest of the year at Hammond High School, Crown Point carried off the honors in extemporaneous speaking. The next event of the season was the Purdue conference, which was attended by representatives from high schools from all over the state. This was followed by a number of practice debates. In the district contest, Crown Point defeated Lew Wallace and Griffith, split with Edison, and was defeated by Wheeler. Lew Wallace won the district but was later defeated by George Rogers Clark of Hammond who had previously overwhelmed Hammond High School, last year's state champs. Our squad then attended a contest at Indiana, had some more practice debates, and finally, attended the National Forensic League conference at Purdue which was the last official event. At this, the finalists were Hammond High School and George Rogers Clark. Hammond won and was thereby eligible to compete in the national contest.

D R A M A T I C S

SENIOR CLASS PLAY



The senior class play, "Spring Fever", directed by Miss Kennedy, was presented on April twenty-first. The play was a farce based on the lives of several college students in the few days before their graduation. One of the students, Ed Burns, was a self-styled chemist and was working on a substitute for dynamite. Howard Brant did not get his biology theme to his professor on time, and therefore was not to be allowed to graduate. However, Aunt Maude inveigles the biology professor, Anne brings her father around by a staged fainting fit, and, by hook or crook, all ends well to the amusement and enjoyment of the audience.

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

The junior class play, "Seventeen", based on Booth Tarkington's famous book, was presented on October twenty-first. The cast members were directed by Miss Kennedy. After three weeks of rehearsals, the play was presented despite last minute qualms over unlearned parts and hectic search for an old wash boiler. The audience especially enjoyed Willie's agonies over not being quite soon enough for Lola. Lola's dog and baby talk, Genesis, negro drawl, and Jane's frustration of Willie's plans, furnished further entertainment.





SIDE GLANCES



Shooting From The Corner

INKLINGS STAFF



First Row—Mr. Baker, Jean Hershey, Jeanette Bruce, Bea Sellers, Leone Bruce, Gladys Ann Kinne, Miss Hiatt.

Second Row—Mildred Falke, Dorothy Fronek, Vera Mae Phillips, Alice Whitehead, Lois Woods, Mary Dance, Helen Mikuta.

Third Row—Bill Carroll, Mary Davis, Marjorie Middleton, Helen Bruce, Esther Abramson, Shirley Benson.

Fourth Row—Dick Kammert, Harold Hanson, Melvin Crawford, Bill Wagner, Clifford McElwee, John Hard.

Just to give you an "inkling"—this year's Inklings staff "started things humming" right away in September by securing one hundred sixty-five subscribers in a fast-moving campaign under the able direction of Mr. Baker, journalism supervisor.

The Inklings has been edited bi-monthly by the journalism students, many in the class being Quill and Scroll members, and by the commerce department. Each edition consisted of ten or eleven sheets; the cost was thirty-five cents for a year's subscription. Our school paper includes news of all sports events, club activities, announcements, and school doings generally.

LIBRARY STAFF

First Row—Betty Mae Kindberg, Miss Hauser, Mary Margaret Ziese

Second Row—Mildred Dickens, Ileen Fischer, John Hard.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



First Row—Mildred Falke, Vera Mae Phillips, Bea Sellers, Mary Davis, Helen Mikuta.

Second Row—Mildred Dickens, Richard Nichols, Lavern King, Edward Metz, Helen Bruce.

CROWN POINT HIGH SCHOOL'S 1939 NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Crown Point High School's 1939 National Honor Society is divided with seven girls and three boys as the new members.

The selection was made by the faculty, who based their decisions on the student's scholastic standing, character, leadership, and service.

The new National Honor Society will have their names placed alongside the names of members of the previous nine graduating classes on the society's plaque, which hangs in the lower hall.

May the honors that have come to these ten National Honor Society seniors as a reward for their thoughtful efforts, serve to inspire the future classes of Crown Point High School toward higher goals!

QUILL AND SCROLL



First Row—Clifford McElwee, William Carroll, Dick Kammert, Helen Bruce.

Second Row—Alice Whitehead, Lois Woods, Vera Mae Phillips, Helen Mikuta.

Third Row—Melvin Crawford, Mary Davis, Shirley Benson, John Hard, Mr. Baker.

HI-Y



First Row—George Carroll, George Zajicek, Chuck Clark, Bud Young, Bill Carroll, Morgan Porch, Bob Grayson.
Second Row—Hank Wheeler, Harry Johns, Dick LaCroix, Bill Houldson, Cecil Riley, Dick Nichols, John Hard.
Third Row—Jack Tadman, Ralph Schroeter, Burdette Bisselberg, Clarence Wente, Charles Holloway, Richard Kline, Mr. Baker.
Fourth Row—Jack Keehn, Don Casey, Wilbur Huseman, Hilding Holmquist, Dick Likens, Wentel Bueche, Ted Steger.
Fifth Row—Joe Rudolph, Bill Wagner, Clayton Ziese, Dale Robertson, Bill Gervais, Elwood Kelsey.
Sixth Row—Karel Hanslik, Paul Davis, Bob Westphal, Dick Kammert, Lavern King, Wilen Shisler, Dick Hill, Clifford McElwee.

Hi-Y Land First District Conference

The main accomplishment of the Hi-Y club this year, under the sponsorship of Mr. Baker, was the first district conference held here. We were awarded this privilege this year because of our previous activity and good name. Other activities carried through in other years were abandoned this year in order that the boys might make a complete success of this conference.

This year the membership was somewhat restricted and the group a little more select. Talks by several well known speakers gave variety and interest to meetings. The check room proved successful. The club's motto, "To create, maintain and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character", was further enhanced by the capable leadership of the following officers: President, Bill Carroll; Vice-President, Don Casey; Secretary, Dick Kammert; Treasurer, Harry Wheeler; and Reporter, Clifford McElwee.

GIRL RESERVES



PHOTOGRAPHY

DRAMATICS



CHARM AND ETIQUETTE

KNITTING



STUDENT COUNCIL



First Row—Wanda Anderson, Mary Davis, Mrs. Seaman-
son, Martha Young, Janet Place, Jane Smith

Second Row—Betty Pardee, Alice Whitehead, Charlotte Kaiser, Dick Nichols, Bea Sellers, Vera Mae Phillips

Third Row—Shirley Benson, John Winberry, Edward Hoff-
man, Ralph Henderlong, Geo. Stratton, Irvin Steuer.

Fourth Row—Melvin Craw-
ford, Dick Falkiner, Robert Westphal, Dick Kammert,
Lavern King, Robert Veach

Fifth Row—Mr. Erwin, John Bicgel, James Haniford, Cecil
Riley, Mr. Baker.

FUTURE FARMERS



First Row—Donald Dillabaugh, Karl Werline, Harry Lewis, Mr. Recd, Herbert Hook

Second Row—Joe LaBuda, Horace Paalberg, Ralph Reeder, Paul Farster, Kenneth Werline

Third Row—Albert Ziesness, Henry Baum, Wilbur Adank, Harold Stiener, John Schmidt

Fourth Row—Kenneth Abram-
son, Robert Batterman, Clay-
ton Ziese, Wilbur Fiegle, Charles Lewis.

Fifth Row—Joseph Tyler, Ernest Niemeyer, James Harris.

CROWN POINT VERNACULAR

- Reprobates—(noun) scoundrels; villians—Renowned club at C. P. !!!
- Awful—(adjective) bad; frightful; used intnsively—"I had an awful headache."
—Ruth Cooper.
- Faculty—(noun, proper) necessary evil. "A student enters high school to develop the faculties."
- Flunk—(verb) a restful semester; to flunk out; to retire; to retreat; punk.
- Kid—(noun, overworked) goat; "Say Kid, do you know, Kid, I haven't got my English."—Velda Seramur.
- O. K.—(an affirmative adverbial participle) denoting aye; yea; it is so;—Opposed to NO.
- Gosh—(interjection) See Wanda Anderson
- Heck—(interjection) See La Verne Hack.
- Huh—"Is this all right? Huh?"—Jeanette Bruce
- The berries—(adjective—Superlative of cat's ankle) "When the G. A. A. girls appeared in their new sweaters, weren't they the berries?"—Lavern King
- Hi, Toots—Usual morning greeting to Mr. Hornbrook. See Mrs. Seamonson.
- Sassafras—(ejaculation or an expletive) Added merely to—fill up. "Who can't find his seat in the assembly? Sassafras!"—Mr. E.
- Settin' purty—(adverb) prosperous; independent; "If I get a "D" in English, I'll be settin' purty."—Dick LaCroix.
- Hold tight—(verb phrase) grasp tenaciously; clench. "You'll lose your gal if you don't hold tight."—Lois Woods.
- Whoo-hoo!—exclamation meaning goody-goody; or oh, boy! expression of extreme happiness or admiration—Dick LaCroix.
- Nerts—(exclamation) heck; darn; phooey; "What's the use of trying? Oh neris!"—John Winberry.
- Jitterbug—(proper noun) one who flings himself into wild antics upon hearing hot music; often used with "Whoo-hoo, Whoo-hoo", "I'm a jitterbug!"
- Snazzy—(adverb) slick; swell; O. K.; also Bob Burn's grandfather—Janet Place Could be—(statement) "Did you put that pin on Miss Hiatt's seat?" "Could be."—Dick Likens.
- Truckin'—(verb) "Truckin' along down the avenue"—Enie Roushelange.
- Killer-Diller—(noun or adjective) cat's ankle; the nuts; scrumptious (Take your pick)—Betty Haines.
- Cram—(verb) to stuff; pack—that which Ed Metz does around state test time.
- Final—last chance; last words—examinations which make their appearance around May twenty-first; all teachers (sing.)
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LIMELIGHTS OF 1938-'39

- September 6—School begins with a bang!
- September 9—Football, Valparaiso, here.
Opening game of the season lost to Valpo, 26-0.
- September 16—Football, Lowell, there.
C. P. H. S. trips Lowell 6-0 before a crowd of 5,000 fans. The Bulldogs pull a complete reversal over their previous performance to turn the tables on the "Red Devils".
- September 30—Football, Griffith, here.
In a one-sided game, the Bulldogs vanquish the Griffith eleven in the first real C. P. scoring outburst of the season. One reason for the zip and snap—dedication game for the new lighted field.

October 14—Big Sister Party.

Following the custom of former years, the senior girls take their "freshie" sisters under their wings.

October 15—Football, Hobart, there.

Bulldogs outplay Hobart Brickies but tie 13-13. C. P. has the ball in their possession most of the time and would have scored twice had the scores not been called back because of penalties. The boys display real team work and show some effective blocking.

October 21—Junior Play, "Seventeen".

A a rip-roaring, hilarious, romantic comedy, gives highlights on our FUNNY high school LOVE AFFAIRS.

October 22—Football, Tolleston, there.

Scrappy Bulldogs take Tolleston to show them what real football is.

October 26—Basketball Season Opens.

Practice really starts in earnest with several of the football boys becoming mainstays of the squad. Under the watchful eye of Mr. Bowen, assistant coach, all the inspired young athletes puff around the community floor.

October 28—Teachers' Institute at East Chicago.

OH BOY! A day's vacation.

October 31—School Carnival.

At twelve o'clock, Monday night, "Queen Bea" and "King Bruce" are chosen the lucky ones to reign over the school, until next year. This is the first time the class of '39 has one of its candidates elected. Carnival—an over-whelming success.

November 6—Band Concert (SUNDAY)

Band program celebrates American Education Week. Program includes talk given by representative of American Legion, band number led by Hubert Warren of Emerson High, and presentation of baton to John Fisher, who has been of outstanding service to the band.

November 6-12—American Education Week.

Posters much in evidence.

November 11—Basketball, Wolcott, there.

With but one week's practice, Bulldogs lose opener to Wolcott, 25-19.

November 18—Young chosen Yell Leader.

Because Dick Kammert, our former boy cheer leader went out for basketball, a substitute is put in his place.

November 19—Lettermen—G. A. A. "Sweater Hop".

Dance attended by large crowd with the music of Silver King's Orchestra Junior class very proud to put over their candidate, Jane Heinze, as "Football Queen".

November 24-25—Thanksgiving Vacation—and TURKEY!

November 29—Football players distinguished.

Four football players selected for the LITTLE FOUR all-conference team
—J. Haniford, W. Buche, L. King, and Harvey Knesek.

December 10—Basketball, Griffith, here.

Bulldogs beat Griffith for first win of year, 25-23. C. P. breaks two jinx's when they defeat the Panthers on the locals' floor.

December 11—Music Festival (Sunday)

December 17—Hi-Y Girl Reserve Dance, "Hayseed Hop".

Hi-Y boys came through with successful dance. Decorations in Christmas regalia.

December 21—Quill and Scroll Initiation.

Ten new members. Girl initiates transform themselves into handsome masculine appearing mortals by wearing trousers, shirts, neckties, plus dashing side-burns.

December 23-Jan. 2—Christmas Vacation.

Long hours to play!

OUR BOOSTERS

- Anderson Grocery & Meats
Baller, Phil
Beck, Dr.
Belanger, Murrell
Blackstone Shoe Salon
Boston Store
Brennan's
Brown, E. T.
Brown, Joe
Calumet Abstract & Title Co.
Carroll, Bill
Casey's Beauty Shop
Chicago Restaurant
City Garage, Arthur Hagen
Claussen, Art
Claussen, Ben
Clover Leaf Dairy
Commercial Bank
Conrad Bakery
Crown Market
Crown Point Hatchery
Crown Point News Agency
Crown Point Register
Davis, Mary
Deloge & Wemple
Dennison, Dr.
Dickens, Charles
Doris' Beauty Shop
Drackert's Bottling Works
Eastgate Dress Shop
Entermann, August
Eder, Edward J.
Family Drug Store
Frederick, Grant
Fisher, John
First National Bank
Franz Service Station
Gary Office & Equipment Co.
Gary Wholesale
(Compliments of I. G. A. Stores)
Gray, Dr.
Heide's Clothing Store
Henderlong Lumber Co.
Horst's Hardware
Houk Brothers
(Plumbing & Repairs)
Hub Cafe
Hub Music & Supply Co.
Huber, Charles
Huber's Royal Blue Store
Jebens, Henry
Jorbin, Tailor
Knight, Ed.
Knight, Paul
Lake County Star
Lamson's
Letsinger, Arthur E.
Linton & Son Chapel
Margison's Grocery & Market
McFall, Merrill B.
McMahon Seed Store
Meyers, George
Miller Grocery
Minas & Krost
Justice of the Peace
Mybeck, Walter R.
Chief Deputy Clerk of Lake County
Nina's Beauty Shop
Northern Indiana Public Service Co.
Palace Theatre
People's Hardware
Phillips, Harry C.
Place, V. A.
Pounds & Guske
Quality Grocery & Meats
Root Lumber Co.
Salisbury, Dr.
Scheddell & Wendt
Schnurlein, Roger
(Plumbing & Heating)
Schmal's Dairy
Schmal & Seberger
Schlemmer Brothers
Slicks Laundry
Silver Cup Baking Co.
Sunshine Biscuit Co.
Struebig, P. W. & Son.
(Farm Implements)
The Great Hamburger
Tullis, E. R., D. D. S.
Tuthill Coal Co.
Valet Cleaners
Vellutini, Light Lunches and Ice
Cream
Volk's Taxi Service
Wahlberg Camera Shop
Wards Baking Co.
Wendel, Bud
(Radio Shop)
Western Auto Association Store
Wonder Bakery Co.
Woods Bakery Co.

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